VIEW SOLICITATION

General Information

Solicitation Number: W912DR-05-R-0021

Restrictions: 100% set aside for Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Small Businesses

Department of Defense Public-Private Competition of Data Entry Sub-Function,

Title: Finance Center [For additional details <u>click here.</u>]

Location: Millington, TN Issue Date: 10/12/2005
Closing Date: 1/10/2006

Price Range:

Time for Completion:

NAICS: 518210

FSC:

CBD:

Size Standard: \$21.0M

Contracting POC: <u>Dudley Smith</u>, 501-324-5720

Technical POC:

Synopsis: This project being advertised as a Request for Proposal (RFP) and is 100% set aside

for Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Small Businesses. The NAICS assigned for this

project is 518210, with a size standard of \$21,000,000

This RFP requires separate technical and cost proposals to be evaluated on the basis of Low Price Technically Acceptable for award of the project. Competitive proposals will be evaluated based on Management, Technical, Past Performance (with the exception of the Most Efficient Organization tender), Experience, and Cost (for completeness, reasonableness, and cost realism, as indicated by utilizing the OMB mandated COMPARE software for A-76 competitions). The USACE Finance Center (UFC) Accounting Support Services Data Entry sub-functions include (1)Accounts Payable Support Services, (2) Travel Payment Support Services, (3)Accounts Receivable Support Services, (4) Debt Management Support Services, (5) Disbursing Support Services, and (6) Miscellaneous Support Services. All work will be performed at Millington, TN. All responsible sources may submit a proposal or tender which shall be considered by the agency.

The media through which the Government chooses to issue this solicitation will be the Internet only. This solicitation will not be issued in paper. The solicitation will be provided in an electronic format, free of charge, to all registered plan holders. Plan holders who registered during the public announcement on 02 March 2005 do not need to re-register.

In order to reduce the possibility of error and to increase the quality of our service to you, all deliveries, packages, etc. for proposal submittal of more than one box or container must be bound together by tape or other means.

In order to comply with the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996, all contractors must be registered in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) to be considered for award of a Federal contract. For information regarding future registration, contact CCR Website at http://www.ccr.gov. Other information regarding registration can be obtained thro ugh CCR Assistance Center at 1-888-227-2423. A paper form for registration may be obtained through the DOD Electronic Commerce Information Center at 1-800-334-3414.

A standard competition to perform these services will be conducted in accordance with Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular No. A-76 (Revised), Performance of Commercial Activities, May 29, 2003. The solicitation will be issued at a later date. Prospective private sector and public reimbursable service providers are encouraged to respond to the solicitation.

THIS IS NOT A SOLICITATION NOTICE.

In accordance with Circular A-76, this notice represents the formal public announcement and official start date of a public-private competition of the USACE Finance Center services located in Millington, TN. These services include accounting support for processing vendor invoices, accounts receivable and debt management transactions and accounts, temporary duty travel vouchers, and collections and disbursements.

The incumbent service providers affected by this public-private competition are approximately 80 DoD civilian positions. A standard competition will be conducted in accordance with the revised Circular. The solicitation will be issued at a later date. Prospective private sector and public reimbursable service providers are encouraged to respond to the solicitation.

The Department of Defense Competitive Sourcing Official is Mr. Philip L. Grone, Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Installations and Environment). The DoD Component Competitive Sourcing Official (CCSO) for the United States Army is Mr. Geoffrey G. Prosch, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Installations & Environment). The Army CCSO has delegated selected standard competition responsibilities to Major General Robert H. Griffin, Deputy Commanding General, USACE. The contracting officer and agency tender official for this standard competition are Dr. James J. Rich and Mr. Stephen Coakley, respectively.

The date of this public announcement is the official start date for this public-private competition and the projected end date of the competition is 12 months from the official start date.

The point of contact for questions is Dudley A. Smith, Contract Specialist, of the Little Rock District. Questions should be submitted to Mr. Smith at Dudley.A.Smith@swl02.usace.army.mil with the solicitation number W912DR-05-R-0021 in the subject line.

An informational site regarding this solicitation will be available in the near future. On this site, you will find answers to questions asked, the preliminary planning information and the redacted Project Management Plan. This site will be accessed directly from the Baltimore District's EBS web site. Upon the availability of the informational site, all registered plan holders will receive electronic notification.

Plans & Specs: Amendments:

Available thru FedTeDS

Amendment 1, dated 1 December 2005 Amendment 2, dated 2 December 2005 Amendment 3, dated 7 December 2005 Amendment 4, dated 19 December 2005 Amendment 5, dated 21 December 2005 Amendment 6, dated 6 January 2006 Register as an Interested Party:

<u>Download the attached form</u>, complete, and return as directed.